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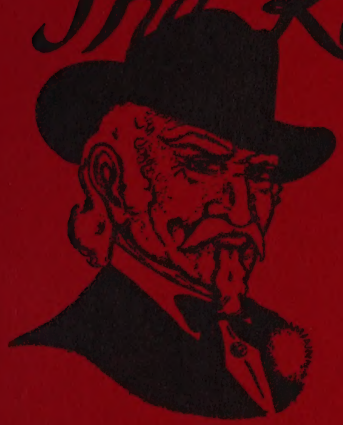

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The Colonel appreciates the writings contributed by the Primary Class in this issue. The Colonel also will be sending the "Cat's Paw" this summer to students at their homes.

Best wishes to all the K.S.B. family for a restful, safe summer. We look forward to seeing you in September.

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GRADUATION 1980

Graduation Day 1980 will find seven seniors and two fifth year students walk-in down the aisles of Richie Auditorium to receive their diplomas from Kentucky School for the Blind. The ceremony will begin at 2:00 p.m. on May 30.

The two fifth year students are David Raynes (Gallatin Co.) and Billy Wright (Letcher Co.). The seven seniors are Calvin Ard (Campbell Co.), Tim Borders (Todd Co.), Ricky Bramblett (Shelby Co.), Ronnie Deaton (Breathitt Co.), Keiji Fujimoto (Jefferson Co.), Bill Gill (Jefferson Co.), and Cheri Hunley Knox Co.). The class sponsors are Miss Biggs, Miss Burns and Mrs. Swerbinsky. Each fifth year student, senior and sponsor will have the opportunity to speak during the program. The graduates will greet families and friends immediately following the program in the Food Service Center for refreshments.

SENIOR ACTIVITIES

The Senior Class has compiled this account of the activities of their final year at K.S.B.

In the fall our first projects were to raffle ½ lb. of peaches, to sell 1980

calendars and to raffle a pine cone centerpiece to complete our treasury for this year's expenses.

We received our class rings from the Alumni of K.S.B. during an assembly program in October. We would like to thank the Alumni once again for this nice momento.

Christmas we celebrated with a taco party at Mrs. Swerbinsky's home. Keiji Fujimoto entertained us with his guitar and piano as well as singing many of our favorite Christmas carols. It was great fun hearing "Rudolph the Red-Nosed Reindeer" in Japanese.

Of our many service projects this year the International Festival was the highlight. There were ten different groups of people who demonstrated dances, music and customs from their countries. It was a fun day for all. Other service projects were fortune telling at the Red Cross Restival, favors for hospital trays and buying and planting plants for the school grounds.

A trip to Frankfort to see Governor Brown and a tour of the Capitol on March 31 was a great opportunity to see our government at work.

On the calendar for the seniors are

many more activities. April 18 is Senior Night and we plan to attend the Derby Playhouse and see "My Fair Lady." Afterwards we will have a late breakfast at Mrs. Swerbinsky's.

We all are anticipating a great time on our senior trip to Beaufort, South Carolina on May 18-24. We plan to soak up the sun, fish, dig clams and have a good time. We will be back in time for the Great Day--Graduation, May 30!

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STUDENTS ENJOY KENTUCKY HORSE PARK

A group of junior high and high school students enjoyed a trip to the Kentucky Horse Park near Lexington on April 17. Accompanied by Miss Burns, Mr. Howard and Mrs. Goode, the students toured the Horse Park.

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SKATING TO THE MUSIC

K.S.B. students enjoyed another trip to Skateworld in Jeffersontown, Ky. Richard Marcum won a dance contest on skates and received a free pass to skate again. The Recreational Department sponsored the trip on March 23.

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SENIOR SPOTLIGHT

Cheri Jo Hunley, a senior from Knox County, has attended K.S.B. for the last three years. She has taken part in the Chorus, bowling competition and forensics.

Cheri's future plans are to continue her education. During her spare time, she enjoys crocheting. Looking back over her school years, she says that she will remember how friendly the staff and students have been.

Good luck to you, Cheri Hunley!

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HONOR ROLL
THIRD GRADING PERIOD

Keiji Fujimoto
Bill Gill
Barbara Martin
Ricky Moore
Pennie Winters

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I LOVE MY MAMA AND DADDY

I love my Mama because she is special to me.

I love my Daddy because he is precious to me and will always be.

---Ame Beth Kerr
Primary Class

MAY BIRTHDAYS

Deedee Banton
Barbie Brady
Ricky Bramblett
Missy Evans
Jerry Hibbard
Mary Hollon
Bobby Holt
Richard Marcum
Barbara Martin
Tim Payton
Greg Rich
Denise Smith
Karen Stacy
Margaret Villano
Melissa Wallace

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JUNE BIRTHDAYS

Tim Barksdale
Jayson Baugh
Tim Borders
Kim Clevinger
Alicia Cuoco
Maria Davis
Melissa Hall
Debbie Kuczwara
Vickie Lewis
Pam Rader
Patty Slutz
Andre White

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JULY BIRTHDAYS

Clinton Applegate
Ray Bishop
Ottis Florence
William Griffith
Don Hayes
Cheri Hunley
Claude Neace
Glenda Ritchie
Darlene Runyon
Tina Shelton

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AUGUST BIRTHDAYS

Ricky Davila
Ronnie Deaton
Sandy Fackler
Tim Jones
Mary Ann Link
Margaret Mattingly
John Purnell

David Hadl
Terry Horton
Paul Hubbard
Chuck Runyon
Chris Simmons
Richard Underwood
Terry Ward

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STUDENTS SUPPORT RED CROSS

K.S.B. students participated in the drive to raise money for the Red Cross during the week of March 3-7. A total of $160.20 was earned in various ways. On March 6 classes joined in a festival in the Recreation Center to enjoy many activities. The senior class told fortunes and sold fortune cookies. The juniors had an Exercisathon with sponsors paying for each exercise performed by the members of the class. The sophomores and freshmen combined their efforts and baked cookies, brownies and fudge.

A booth offered handmade and donated items for sale. Students enjoyed purchasing Surprise Bags filled with small toys and cookies. Mrs. Ken Howard baked a cake which was raffled. The winner was Mrs. Mary Jane Sims.

Five "Penny Days" were part of the fund-raising also. Students and staff gave one penny for the years of their age, their years in school, their shoe

size, the inches in their height and the inches of their waist.

Red Cross sponsor is Mrs. Gutmann.

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MUSIC IN YOUR SCHOOL WEEK

Music students under the direction of Mrs. Nolen, Mrs. Savot, Mrs. Bradley and Mr. Hume presented a variety of music programs in celebration of "Music in Your School Week," March 10-14. Performances by groups and individuals were enjoyed by all.

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JOINING K.S.B. IN THE SPRING

K.S.B. welcomes Mrs. Darlene Middleton back. Mrs. Middleton, who taught in the Primary Class last spring, is completing the year with the Elementary class formerly taught by Mrs. Suzanne Snyder.

Welcome also to Kathleen Olson, a full-time substitute, who is completing the school year with the Readiness class formerly taught by Mrs. Cheri Sims.

Welcome to Tim Jessie, a sophomore from Bullitt County. Tim is a day student.

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TOP TEN HITS FOR APRIL

1. "Another Brick in the Wall"--Pink Floyd
2. "Crazy Little Thing Called Love"--Queen
3. "Working My Way Back to You"--Spinners
4. On the Radio"--Donna Summer
5. "Call Me"--Blondie
6. "Him"--Rupert Holmes
7. "Refugee"--Tom Petty
8. "How Do I Make You"--Linda Ronstadt
9. "Back on My Feet Again"--Babys
10. "Off the Wall"--Michael Jackson

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THE HURT BOY

One day a boy was shopping for a little ship. He hurt his thin skin on the door. He walked up the step to the doctor. The doctor went in a room. He got a bag with tools in it. The doctor called his mother and told her that he was hurt. When he came to school, Mrs. Randles asked him what had happened. He told her the story.

---Norman Stivers
Primary Class

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ALL-SCHOOL ZOO TRIP--May 5

A HAPPY EASTER

I like to eat eggs on Easter and I will get a new dress on Easter and some new shoes.

--LaTondra Chandler
Primary Class

CARS

I like cars. I like to have cars. I like cars best. I like big cars and little cars. I can go and look at cars. I can look at toy cars at the store. I like real cars and toy cars because they are different.

--Laura Marie Davis
Primary Class

CARS

I like cars. They are sporty to ride in. I like real cars and I like toy cars because they are different from each other.

--Bobby Holt
Primary Class

SUMMER IS COMING

Summer is coming. Swimming pools will be open.

--Carl Persun
Primary Class

MIKE AND HIS BOOKS

Mike can read. Mike goes to school and reads books. Mike's Mom is happy but one day she said, "Mike, you have read so many books that I do not know what to do!"

Mike got three more books. "Mike, what are we going to do with you?" asked Mom.

"I will tell my teacher that I do not want any more books," Mike said.

"Get in the car," said Dad to Mike.

"Mom! It is time to go," said Mike.

"OK," said Mom. "We will stay with you."

"I am telling you that my teacher will not like it. Here is my teacher. Teacher, well, my Dad wants to tell you something," said Mike.

Dad said, "Mike and Mom do not want any more books and I do not like it either. If he gets many more books, he may have to stop school. But I do not want him to stop school. If he stops school, we will go to jail!"

Dad was a very, very, very mad man. "You will not stop school, but you will not get many more books. Are you sure now?"

"Yes, I am sure," said Mike.

"But what if my teacher gives me another book?" Mike asked.

"I will see that you do not get a book," said Dad.

"But I like books," said Mike.

"What, what? You are liking books?" said Dad in surprise.

"Yes, I like books."

"That is enough. You cannot take any more."

--Mike McCarty
Primary Class

THE GIRL AND HER FRIEND

A little girl was walking down the street. She was walking with her friend James. They went to the same school. They knew everybody in the school. They had many friends, too.

--LaTondra Chandler
Primary Class

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SENIOR SPOTLIGHT
Calvin Ard

Calvin Ard, an eighteen-year-old from Newport, has attended K.S.B. for the last four years. He has taken part in wrestling (3 years), track (2 years), bowling (2 years), swimming (2 years), pool (2 years) and has been both the President and Secretary-Treasurer of his

class.

Calvin plans to apply for work at the post office after he leaves K.S.B. He has been taking courses at Mill Creek Vocational School.

Calvin says that K.S.B. has improved him a great deal. We wish you the best of luck after your graduation!

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ATHLETES LOOK FORWARD TO SPORTS BANQUET

K.S.B. students who participated in athletics this year are looking forward to the Sports Banquet. Don Fightmaster, the sponsor of the golf tournament for handicapped students, will be the guest speaker. Awards and certificates for the year's performances will be awarded by team coaches.

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TROOPER ISLAND

K.S.B. students eligible for the Trooper Island camping trip are eagerly anticipating May 26, 27 and 28.

The Boy Scouts and older students enjoy the recreational activities available and the time away from classes at the end of the school year.

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STUDENTS READ 420 BOOKS

Forty-four K.S.B. elementary, junior high and high school students read a total of 420 books and raised over $210.00 for the March of Dimes in the Reading Olympics. The students read from February 14-March 17 and were sponsored by friends, family, fellow students and staff. In addition to benefiting the March of Dimes, students benefited themselves by discovering the many books--braille, print, cassette, talking book--available in our library. Mrs. Frey and Mrs. Fisher were most helpful and most patient during the weeks of reading.

Elementary readers had to read 5-9 books for a bronze medal, 10-14 for a silver medal and 15-up for a gold medal. Elementary students earning gold medals are Sandy Fackler, Anita Mattingly, Jerry Persun and Tina Shelton. Silver medalists are Michelle Broaddus, Deborah Davis and Vurah Runyon. Earning bronze medals are David Hadl, Steven Lewis, Larry Marcum, Tina Mitchell, Tim Payton, Michael Shannon, Mike Skidmore, Joe Smith, Margaret Villano and Roger Wheatley.

Junior high and high school readers had to read 5-7 books for a bronze medal,

8-10 books for a silver medal and 11-up books for a gold medal.

Students earning gold medals are Ricky Bramblett, Clyde Coulter, Maria Davis, Missy Evans, Wanda Gamble, Bill Gill, Mary Hollon, Kim Holmes, Cheri Hunley, Judy Keller, Patty Kramer, Laura Matteucci, Buster Mayne, Darlene Runyon, Denise Smith, Sandra Williams and Sharon Williams. Silver medal winners are Shirley Bell, Jerry Hibbard, Bill Wright. Bronze medalists are Richard Marcum, Barbara Martin, Karen Stacy and Jeff Wheatley.

Congratulations to these fine readers for a job well done!

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P.T.A. SPONSORS TALENT SHOW

The P.T.A. sponsored a Talent Show on March 21 in the Richie Auditorium. Attended by schools, staff members and community visitors, the show was interesting and entertaining.

The Spring Festival, a yearly event sponsored by the P.T.A., will be held on April 26. This is well-attended by the school and the community. Mrs. Carol Webb is the P.T.A. president this year.

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BEHIND THE SCENES

The Colonel salutes the Food Service staff. The Food Service supervisor is Janice Jones and the staff consist of Chiquita Baker, Dorothy Brown, Leon Brown, Cora Hill, Denise Irvin, Laura Posey, Irene Price, Nettie Smith, Hilda Webster, Marion Smith and Pauline Wooldridge.

The Food Service staff cooks and serves breakfast and dinner for 90 people and lunch for 150 people every day. They also provide food and supplies for camping trips, parties, dorm snacks and the Trooper Island trip. The big event of the year is the Sports Banquet and the Food Service staff goes all out for a delicious meal.

It's easy to take for granted the meals prepared by the Food Service staff. The Colonel tips his hat to these hard-working cooks. Students and staff appreciate their care and help.

The Colonel also salutes Mrs. Betty Wommack who has worked at K.S.B. for the last twenty years. For four years she was a classroom teacher, then the Instructional Supervisor and her title now is Coordinator of Instruction and Related Services.

Mrs. Wommack received her Bachelor of Science degree from Northeastern State College which is in Tahlequah, Oklahoma. She also received a Master of Education degree from Wayne University which is located in Detroit, Michigan.

During her spare time she enjoys sewing and family life. Her husband, Ed Wommack, is a graduate of K.S.B. and their daughter Carrie is a student at Cincinnati Bible College.

The building changes and their effects on the total school program stand out in her mind as the main changes she has witnessed at K.S.B.

Her dedication to high quality education and her interest in students' well-being make Mrs. Betty Wommack one of K.S.B."s special people who work behind the scenes.

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JUNIOR CLASS WORK DAY

Sixteen juniors were "sold" as a money-raising project on April 22. The students were auctioned at an assembly program and will work at specified jobs at an agreed time with their "buyer".

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SWIM SEASON GETS UNDERWAY

On February 29 the K.S.B. swim team drove down to Tennessee looking for a win in their first swim meet of the year and win is just what they did. Kentucky placed first. Tennessee was second and Ohio was third. Both relay teams (boys) won first place. The medley team is David Raynes, Clyde Coulter, Jeff Wheatley and Dwayne Moore. The 400-meter freestyle relay team is David Raynes, Clyde Coulter, David Greer and Dwayne Moore. Outstanding swimmers for Kentucky were Clyde Coulter, David Raynes, Dwayne Moore and David Greer.

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NINE SCHOOLS COMPETE IN INVITATIONAL

On March 7 and 8 K.S.B. hosted the 1980 Seventh Annual Kentucky Swim Invitational. Nine schools competed in the two day events which ended in overall victory for Wisconsin with 114 points. Indiana and Kentucky tied for second. Tennessee and Florida tied for third. Ohio placed fourth, followed by Missouri, Kansas, Michigan and West Virginia.

The first place boys' team was Kentucky and the first place girls' team was Tennessee. Kentucky boys scored 94

points and Tennessee girls scored 79 pts.

Individual results were as follows:

Clyde Coulter--First places in the 100 m breaststroke, 100 m backstroke and 100 m butterfly.

David Raynes--First place in 200 m individual medley, second place in 100 m freestyle and fourth place in 50 m freestyle.

Dwayne Moore--First place in 400 m freestyle, second place in 200 m freestyle and fourth place in 200 m individual medley.

David Greer--Third place in 200 m freestyle and fourth place in 100 m freestyle.

Jeff Wheatley--Second place in 100 m breaststroke.

Tim Jones--Sixth place in 100 m butterfly.

Calvin Ard--Fifth place in 100 m backstroke.

Claude Neace, Shirley Bell and Laura Matteucci also participated.

In the age groups, Anita Mattingly placed third in the 25 m backstroke. Vurah Runyon placed first in the 100 m individual medly, first in the 25 m breaststroke, fourth in the 25 m butterfly and fifth in the 50 m freestyle.

The boys' medley relay team and 400 m freestyle team took first place. Medley swimmers are David Raynes, Clyde

Coulter, Jeff Wheatley and Dwayne Moore. Members of the 400 m freestyle team are David Raynes, Clyde Coulter, David Greer and Dwayne Moore.

The Swim Invitational is always one of the busiest weekends on the K.S.B. campus. This year 156 swimmers and sponsors attended the event. Through the combined efforts of many people, the Invitational was again a tremendous success.

Swim team coaches are Bill and Linda Smith.

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SPLASHDOWN IN INDIANA

The weekend following the Kentucky Invitational found the swim team going to Indiana to compete in a four-way swim meet with Wisconsin, Indiana and Michigan. The boys' team placed first in the boys' division and placed third in the combined scores. Outstanding swimmers were David Raynes, David Greer, Clyde Coulter and Dwayne Moore. The super relay teams again placed first.

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GOLF CLASSIC TO BE IN APRIL

The Don Fitemaster Golf Classic will be on April 21 at the River Road Course. K.S.B. students will be paired with

students participating from other schools in competition. This event was greatly enjoyed by participants and spectators last year and this year promises to be just as great.

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CROWD ENJOYS RED-WHITE TOURNAMENT

On April 3, the Annual Red and White Junior Wrestling Tournament was held in Langan Gym. A large crowd of parents attended because this was the evening before Spring Break.

These are the results.

40-64 lb. weight class:

1st place--Carl Persun

2nd place--David Hadl

3rd place--Norman Stivers

4th place--Keith Blair

65-79 lb. weight class:

1st place--Mike Breeden

2nd place--Ricky Porter

3rd place--Steven Davis

4th place--David Stassen

80-104 lb. weight class:

1st place--Claude Neace

2nd place--Joe Smith
3rd place--Chuck Runyon
4th place--Mike Skidmore

105-150 lb. weight class:
1st place--Russell Mullins
2nd place--Ricky Moore
3rd place--Mark Taylor

The White team was the overall winner with 105 points. The Red team scored 89½ points. All wrestlers received an award of Easter candy. First place was a large chocolate bunny with the other prizes other sizes of bunnies.

Claude Neace was the outstanding wrestler and was awarded a trophy.

Coaches of the Red team were Ronnie Deaton, Andre White, Calvin Ard and Ricky Bramblett. Wrestlers were Terry Joe Bruner, Billy Joe Runyon, Claude Neace, Russell Mullins, Norman Stivers, Jerry Persun, Mike Skidmore, Mike McCarty, Robbie Oliphant, David Stassen, Ricky Porter, Ricky Wells and Jerry Ettinger.

Coaches of the White team were Buster Mayne and Bill Gill. Wrestlers were Paxton McGuire, Billy Myers, Mike Breeden, Chuck Runyon, Ottis Florence, Mark Taylor, Ricky Moore, Carl Persun, Mike Cochran, Richard Underwood, Keith Blair, David Hadl, Joe Smith and Steven Davis.

Cheering the Red team to victory were junior cheerleaders Tina Shelton, Denise Powers, Michelle Broaddus and Ame Kerr. They were coached by Barbara Collier, Darlene Runyon, Fennie Winters and Judy Keller.

Cheerleaders for the winning White team were Melissa Wallace, Lisa Moore, Lynne Mays and Sandy Fackler. They were coached by Maria Davis, Karen Stacy and Mary Hollon.

The junior cheerleaders wore new outfits this year and presented several cheers which they had practiced with the varsity cheerleaders' help.

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WRESTLERS, TRACKMEN AND SWIMMERS ARE WINNERS AT THE NATIONALS

Kentucky had 17 participants in the Fourth National Championships this year in Macomb, Ill. Over 500 athletes competed this year and Kentucky brought back a total of 37 medals. People who are eligible to participate in the Nationals are people from anywhere in the United States who are legally blind. Participants from Kentucky were Bill Gill, Kenneth Jones, Reni Jackson, Clint Applegate, Terry Ward, Buster Mayne,

Richard Barnhart, Jeff Wheatley, Clyde Coulter, David Raynes, David Greer, Tim Jones, Dwayne Moore, Ricky Davila, Calvin Ard, Ronnie Deaton and Howard Veal.

Eight wrestlers were entered. Four brought back medals. They are Bill Gill (1st at 105.5 lbs.), Kenneth Jones (3rd at 136.5 lbs.), Calvin Ard (3rd at 180.5 lbs.) and Reni Jackson (1st in unlimited).

Ten trackmen were entered and five won medals in the B division. Clyde Coulter won the pentathlon and broke the existing point record. Others were Clint Applegate (1st in 100 m. dash, 2nd in 400 m. dash and 2nd in 800 m. dash) and Richard Barnhart (1st in javelin, 3rd in high jump and 3rd in discus). In the C division the winners were Terry Ward (2nd in 3000 m. run, 3rd in 1500 m. run and 3rd in 10,000 m. run), Buster Mayne (2nd in running long jump, 3rd in running high jump and 3rd in 400 m. run) and Reni Jackson (1st in javelin and 3rd in shot put).

Clyde Coulter swam in C division and placed 1st in 400 individual medley, 2nd in 100 m. backstroke and 3rd in 200 m. individual medley.

Dwayne Moore placed first in 400 m. freestyle and 2nd in 400 m. individual medley. Tim Jones, swimming in Class A, placed 1st in 50 m. freestyle, 1st in 100 m. butterfly and 2nd in 100 m. freestyle. Jeff Wheatley placed 1st in 400 m. individual medley, 1st in 100 m. freestyle, 1st in 100 breaststroke, 3rd in 200 m. individual medley and 3rd in 400 m. freestyle in Class A. Placing second in the 400 m. freestyle relay and the medley relay were Tim Jones, Jeff Wheatley, David Raynes and Clyde Coulter.

At the end of competition Bill Gill, Clint Applegate, Jeff Wheatley and Richard Barnhart won the right to travel to the Netherlands to compete in the World competition. Billy will compete in wrestling, Clint in track, Jeff in swimming and Richard in track. The competition will be held in June in the Netherlands. The boys are trying to raise money to go.

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FIELD DAY--May 20

THE OLYMPIC GAMES
Part II

This is the second section of a research project on the Olympic Games prepared by Mary Hollon, Jeff Wheatley, Judy Keller, Barbara Martin, Karen Stacy and Sandra Williams. It appears unlikely that the United States will participate in the 1980 Olympics this summer, but the class learned much from its research.

The Olympics began over 2,700 years ago in ancient Greece. They were held regularly for over a thousand years, and then they ceased. In 1896 the Games were revived. The Games began as a religious festival for the Greek god Zeus. The modern Games were started to promote world peace through friendly competition and to build individual character through training and discipline.

The Olympic flame symbolizes the continuing of the ancient Games into modern times. During the early Olympics a sacred flame burned at the altar of Zeus. The flame was adopted for modern use at the Berlin Games in 1936 and the

tradition has been observed ever since. The torch used to kindle the flame is first lit by the sun's rays at Olympia, Greece, and is then carried to the site of the Games by relay runners. Ships and planes are used as necessary.

The Olympic symbol is five rings or circles linked together to represent the sporting friendship of all nations. The five rings represent the five continents--Europe, Asia, Africa, Australia and the Americas. Each ring is a different color--blue, yellow, black, green and red.

The Olympic flag is five rings on a white flag. It was used first in 1920.

The Olympic creed reads as follows--"The most important thing in the Olympic Games is not to win, but to take part, just as the most important thing in life is not the triumph, but the struggle. The essential thing is not to have conquered but to have fought well."

The Olympic oath is recited by an athlete of the host country at the opening ceremony. He says--"in the name of all competitors, I promise that we will take part in these Olympic Games respecting and abiding by the rules

which govern them, for the glory of sport and the honor of our teams."

Olympic prizes are gold, silver and bronze medals for first, second and third places.

The Summer Olympic Games include games that must be carried on in at least 25 countries to be eligible for the program. At least 12 countries must enter an event to include it on the program.

Track events are usually the highlight of the Summer Games. These events include hurdles, relays, foot races over various distances. Favorite events to watch include the metric mile (1,500 m. run), the marathon (26 miles and 385 yds.) and the 100 m. dash.

Field events include the high jump, broad jump, pole vault, discus throw, hammer throw, javelin throw, shot put and decathlon. The events of the decathlon are the 100 m. dash, broad jump, shot put, high jump, 400 m. run, discus throw, 110 m. high hurdles, pole valut, javelin throw and 150 m. run. Outstanding American champions are Bob Mathias, Rafer Johnson and Bruce Jenner.

Combative sports are fencing, boxing, wrestling, shooting and judo. American

boxing gold medalists are Muhammad Ali (then Cassius Clay), Joe Frazier and Sugar Ray Leonard.

Water sports are swimming and diving, rowing, canoeing, yachting and water polo. Equestrian sports test the skill of horse and rider. Equestrian sports and yachting are the only sports in which men and women compete against each other. Team sports include basketball, soccer, field hockey and volleyball. Cycling (bicycle racing) is a new sport.

Gymnastic sports are weight lifting and gymnastics, which some say is the most physically demanding and most beautiful sport of all. Cathy Rigby is an outstanding American gymnist. Nadia Comaneci recorded the first perfect scores in gymnastic competitions.

The pentathlon is a sport that includes horseback riding, fencing, shooting, swimming and running.

The victory ceremony follows each contest. The three medalists stand on a victory stand while their national anthems are played and receive their medals.

Now, see if you can unscramble these Olympic sports--gobinx, uodj, mmgiinws, cefnnig, lingrestw, cosrec, ckart.

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